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In re Application of: Curtis R. Brandt, et al. Serial No: 09/777,560

On Petition

Filing Date: February 6, 2001

For: PHARMACOLOGICALLY ACTIVE ANTIVIRAL PEPTIDES AND METHODS OF THEIR USE

In response to the petitions received on August 4, 2004, to withdraw the holding of abandonment in the above application.

The petition is Granted.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply with the meaning of 37 C.D.R 1.113 in a timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed May 10, 2001. Which set forth a shortened statutory period for reply of two months. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned July 11, 2001. The notice of abandonment was mailed on June 9, 2004.

The evidence submitted is sufficient to establish that the petitioners responded to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Papers on August 24, 2001.

The application was abandoned in error. The office regrets any inconvenience this may have caused the client.

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